DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice ...	7·47	8·05	seers per rupee.
Ragi ...	13·66	17·53	
Rangoon rice, 2nd sort		9·20	

Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.

Agricultural operations.—Preparation of thrashing floors.

Outturn of harvest.—Ragi, 12 annas in a rupee.

Foot and mouth disease prevails among cattle. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Reaping of paddy in parts of Dodballapur and Nelamangala, milling of sugar cane in parts of Bangalore, Kankanhalli, Channapatna and Devanhalli.

Standing crops, such as paddy, potatoes and sugar cane, are in good condition.

Crops sown.—Sugar cane in parts of Bangalore, Hoskote, Anekal and Devanhalli and Vaisakhi paddy in parts of Hoskote and Anekal.

Crops harvested with outturn.—Sugar cane in parts of Bangalore, Kankanhalli, Devanhalli and Channapatna, yield 8 annas, 16 annas, 4 to 12 annas, and 10 annas, respectively. Paddy in parts of Nelamangala, 8 to 10 annas, and avare in parts of Anekal, 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are sufficiently available. Labor is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for the prevalence of plague in parts of Bangalore, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, Magadi and Anekal Taluks and Closepet town, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing in Kolar; sowing in Sidlaghatta and harvesting in Chintamani, Sidlaghatta and Gudibanda.

Crops sown.—Vaisakhi paddy in Kolar, Bowringpet, Chintamani, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur, Bagepalli and Srinivaspur; sugar cane in Chintamani, Chikballapur, Bagepalli, Goribidnur, Srinivaspur and Gudibanda; jola in Bagepalli and potatoes in Bowringpet.

Standing crops, such as sugar cane and paddy, are in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in Bowringpet, yield 8 to 16 annas; sugar cane in all the taluks, except Mulbagal and Malur, 8 to 12 annas; horse gram in Kolar, Bowringpet, Sidlaghatta, Bagepalli, Srinivaspur and Gudibanda, 8 to 12 annas; avare and togari in Bowringpet, Bagepalli and Gudibanda, 8 to 12 annas; and avare in Chintamani, Malur and Srinivaspur, 8 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available. Labor is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for plague in Kolar Gold Fields in the towns of Bowringpet, Kolar and Mulbagal and in some villages of the Chikballapur Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Except for "foot and mouth disease" in Pathapalya hobli of the Bagepalli Taluk, cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well-supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Pavagada, Koratagere and Turuvekere; and sugar cane in Turuvekere.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in Tumkur, Maddagiri, Pavagada, and Koratagere; togari in Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Tumkur, Sira, Kunigal, Koratagere and Turuvekere; avare in Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Kunigal, Koratagere and Turuvekere; horse gram in Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Tiptur, Pavagada and Koratagere; Bengal gram in Chiknayakanhalli and Gubbi; castor in Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Gubbi, Pavagada and Kunigal; gingelly in Kunigal; and sugar cane in Kunigal and Koratagere.

Condition of crops.—Good in almost all the taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stocks are available.

11. Plague prevails at Tumkur, Gubbi, Tiptur and parts of Kunigal. Public health is otherwise generally good.

12. Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Market fairly well supplied.

9. *Standing crops* are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in parts of Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Seringapatam, Yedatore, Heggaddevankote, Mandya, Malvalli and Krishnarajpete; kadale in parts of Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Hunsur, Nanjangud, T.-Narasipur and Nagamangala; horse gram in parts of Seringapatam, Hunsur and Heggaddevankote; ragi in parts of Yedatore and Krishnarajpete; togari in parts of Hunsur, Heggaddevankote Malvalli and Krishnarajpete; green and black grams in parts of Heggaddevankote; coriander in parts of Nanjangud and Nagamangala.

Outturn of crops.—Paddy, and ragi in parts of Krishnarajpete, yield 12 annas; kadale coriander and avare in parts of Nagamangala 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in parts of almost all the taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Except for "foot and mouth disease" in parts of Mysore, Nanjangud and Malvalli, cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—The raiyats are engaged in the thrashing floors and in ploughing their lands.

Crops sown.—Koday paddy in parts of Manjarabad.

Standing crops.—Sugar cane and kadale in Hassan; avare and kadale in Arkalgud; sugar cane in Belur; paddy, sugar cane, kadale and castor in Arsikere; sugar cane and kar paddy in Channarayapatna; sugar cane, menthya, castor and kadale in Hole-Narsipur; togari in parts of Alur. All these are in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Avare and togari in parts of Hassan; avare in parts of Arkalgud; togari, sugar cane, avare, kulthi, ragi and paddy in Channarayapatna; avare, togari, kulthi, til and castor in Hole-Narsipur; and paddy in parts of Belur.

10. Prospects of the season are good.

11. Except for plague in parts of Hassan and Channarayapatna, public health is generally good.

12. Fodder and water are available. Cattle are generally healthy, except in parts of Dudda hobli, Hassan Taluk, where "foot and mouth disease" is prevailing. Proper preventive measures are being adopted.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of Channagiri, Shikarpur, Sagar and Nagar; sugar cane planting is going on in Shikarpur and transplanting of kar paddy in parts of Sagar.

Standing crops.—Sugar cane in all the parts of the district; Bengal gram in Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali and Sorab; green and black grams in Sorab; haraka in Shikarpur; wheat and cotton in Honnali; all these are in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugar cane is being milled in parts of Shimoga, Shikarpur, Sorab, Nagar, Tirthahalli and Kumsi; arecanut in Nagar; ragi, same, navane, jola, avare and togari in Honnali and parts of Channagiri; and horse gram in Honnali and Sorab.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. Food stocks are available.

11. Public health is generally good but for plague at Tyavanige in Channagiri and at Benkipur in Shimoga taluks. A few cases of a sporadic nature are said to have occurred in the Shimoga town.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available. "Foot and mouth disease" prevails in parts of Sorab and Kumsi.

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being prepared for sowing in parts of Chikmagalur, Mudgere and Yedahalli.

Standing crops.—

Chikmagalur—Sugar cane, wheat, fenugreek, avare, togari, Bengal gram, castor, garlic and onions.

Kadur—Avare, Bengal gram, sugar cane, wheat and castor.

Tarikere—Besige jola, sugar cane, cotton, wheat and Bengal gram.

Koppa—Sugar cane and pepper.

Mudgere—Cardamom.

Yedahalli and Sringeri—Sugar cane.

All these are in good condition.

Crops harvested.—

Chikmagalur—Sugar cane, avare and togari, 8 to 12 annas.

Kadur—Avare, sugar cane and Bengal gram, each 12 annas.

Koppa—Sugar cane, 8 annas.

Mudgere—Cardamom and coffee, 12 annas.

Yedahalli—Sugar cane, 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Supply of food grains is sufficient.

11. Public health is generally good, except in parts of Chikmagalur, Kadur and Tarikere, where plague prevails.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. But "foot and mouth disease" still prevails in a few villages of Chikmagalur and in the town of Koppa. Water and fodder are sufficiently available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops,* such as cotton, Bengal gram, sugar cane, paddy, chillies, wheat, jola, castor, horse gram, togari, avare, tadagani, green and black grams are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds sown.—Paddy in Challakere.

Crops harvested.—Castor in Challakere and Chitaldrug, yield 8 annas; avare and togari in Chitaldrug, yield 8 annas; cotton, chillies and Bengal gram in Challakere, 8 annas; horse gram in Hiriyur, 8 annas; jola, ragi and navane in Hosdurga, 12 to 16 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is generally heathy.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

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